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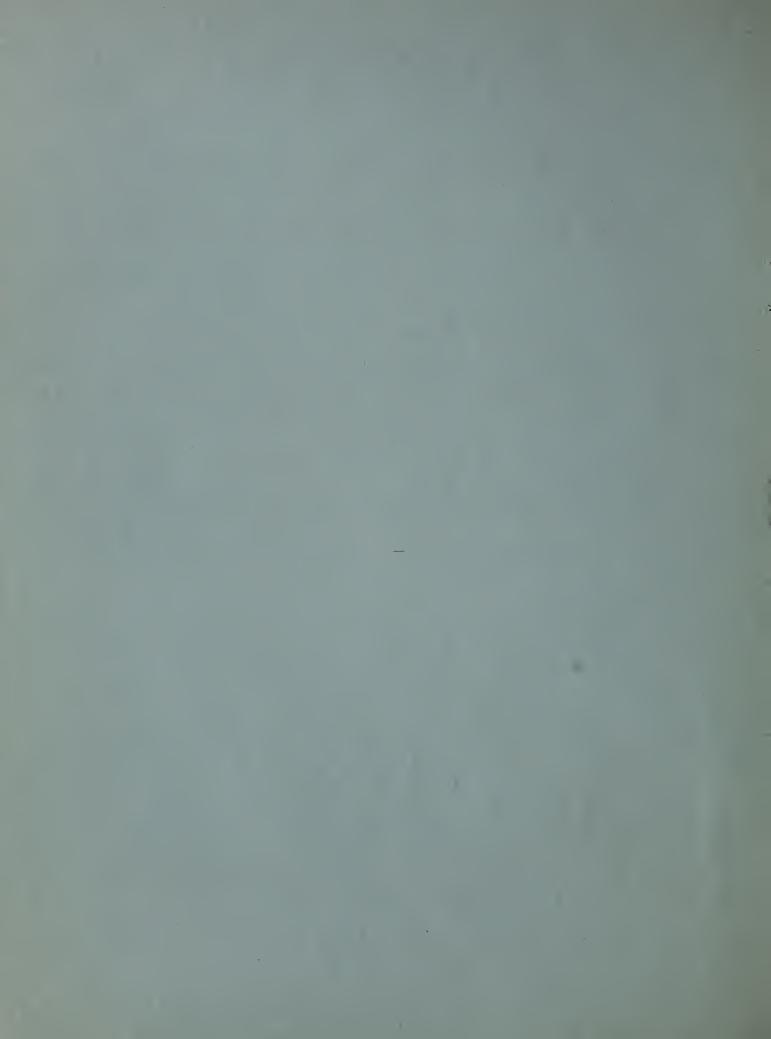


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SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR READY-CUT LOOKOUT HOUSE.

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READY-CUT LOOKOUT HOUSE

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SPECIFICATIONS,
MATERIAL LISTS

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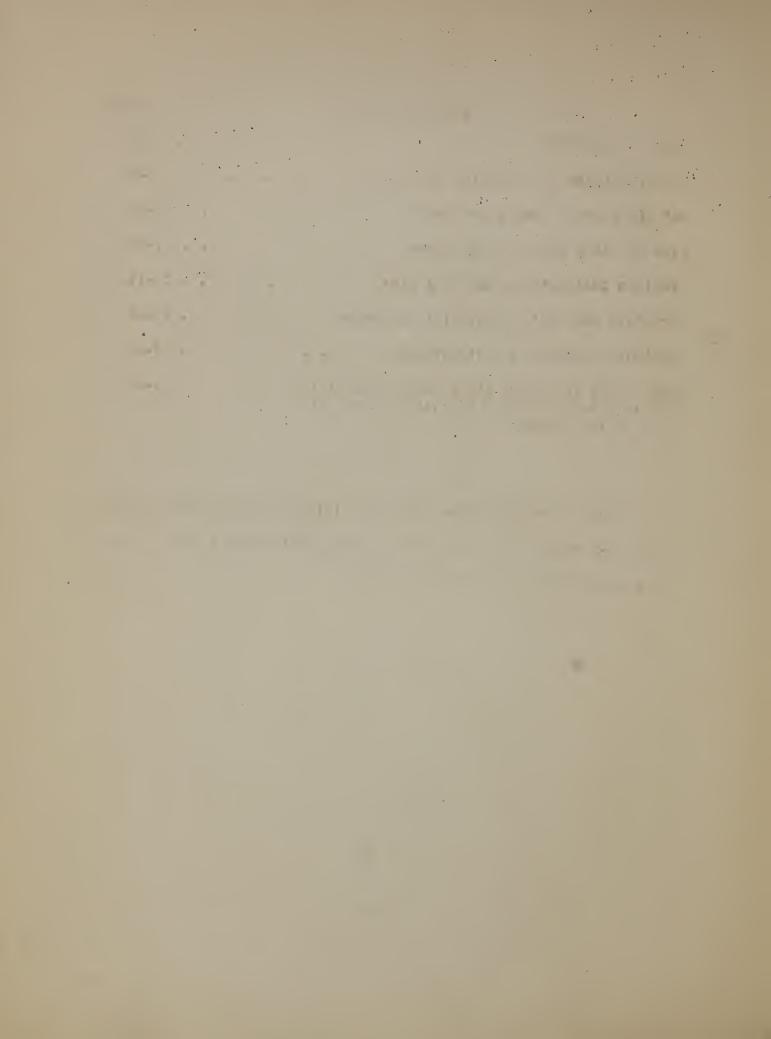
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These Specifications, Material Lists and Instructions should be used in connection with Plans for Ready-cut Lookout House, revised January 1922, Sheets Nos. A to L.



SPECIFICATIONS FOR MATERIAL FOR HOUSE

All lumber parts to be cut accurately, ready to fit together, as per attached plans Sheets A to I and cutting list, pages 5 to 10.

The frame shall be No. 3 clear Douglas fir or better, reasonably straight-grained, free from knots or defects affecting strength, kiln dried, and shall be surfaced on four sides to given dimensions. The floors, siding, ceiling ship-lap, doors and window casings and trimmings and all other finish to be No. 2 or better Douglas fir, kiln dried.

The pieces to be marked or numbered with blue keel in accordance with the plans and cutting lists.

All parts and material to be done up in bundles weighing not more than forty pounds each of suitable size and shape for transportation by pack horse. As far as it is practical to do so, each bundle should be made up of parts and material for only one operation. For instance, bundles of sill material (Figs. 1 and 2, Sheet B) should not contain roofing material (shown in Fig. 14, Sheet D) in them. All bundles are to be plainly numbered in red. The numbers to start with bundles of material used in the first operation, Figs. 1 and 2, Sheet B, and run consecutively through all operations shown in Figs. 1 to 36, in sequence, so that the number on the last bundle will be the total number of bundles. All pieces in each bundle to be securely nailed together with cleats or bound together in two or more places, with not less than two wraps at each place of #14 or #16 iron wire.

All small pieces of lumber such as window shutter buttons, window small cleats (Figs. 31 and 33, Sheet K), and all hardware, screws, etc., to be boxed in substantial boxes. No box when packed should weigh over 40 lbs. nor be larger than about 12"x14"x3'.

Paint to be boxed by itself and marked "Paint."

Windows to be done up in bundles of twos (there will be one odd window), securely nailed or screwed together, with both sides boarded over solid to prevent glass from breaking.

In the event that any necessary portion of the house is missing, the local forest officer shall purchase or have made the missing parts and the cost thereof shall be deducted from the contract price of the building.

Glass to be double strength or 21 ounce, AA glass.

All material for each house shall be delivered at one time f.o.b. cars at point of manufacture, within fifteen days after order is placed.

Flashing to be made of a good grade of #28 galvanized iron, as per detail Figs. 12A and 12B. Sheet D.

Special fixtures to be made accurately according to details shown.

Strand cable to be standard galvanized guy cable.

All other material to be best standard grade on the market.

SILIS - Figure 1 - Sheet B 15 Pieces

1st Operation

8	Pieces	31 x31 x6111 x61114	Halved	at	both	ends	Nark	Rig.	1	Piece	1
2	11	" 518基					11	11	11	11 '	2
5	11	13"x6"x6"18"					11	11	(1	11	3

JOISTS - Figure 2 - Sheet B 32 Pieces

2nd Operation "

14	Pieces	1 2 x3 2 1	x610"
18	11	11	41227

Mark Fig. 2 Piece 1 11 11 11 11 2

SUB-FLOOR - Figure 3 - Sheet B 52 Pieces

3rd Operation 22 Pieces 1"x8" shiplap 6' long Vark Fig. 3 Piece 1 30 " " 41 "

11 11 11 2

FINISHED FLOOR SECTION - Fig.4 - Sheet B

<u>lu7 Pieces</u>

4th Operation

44	Pieces	1"x4"	Flooring	518 11	long
63	11	11	11	319 5	/8" long

Mark Fig. 4 Piece 1 11 11 11 2

MAIN FLOOR FRAME - Figs. 5 & 6 - Sheet C 91 Pieces

5th Operation

4	Pieces	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "x6' 0 " Bottom Plate	Mark	Figs	.5 &	6	Piece	1
4	11	1 518 <u>1</u> 1 11 11 1	11	11	11	11	11	2
4	11	" 6'0" Top Plate	11	F1	11	11	11	3
8	11	n 518 ¹ / ₃ 11 11 11	11	1.4	17	- (1	11	4
4	11	$311\frac{3}{4}$ u u u	11	11	11	11	11	5
4	11	" 2'10'4' Top "	5.0	11	11	11	11	6
12	11	32"x32"x6"10" Posts	- 11	11	11	11	11	7
4	11	" " " framed	st	11	Ħ	11	11	8
		as per detail on Sheet C.						
15	11	1="x3="x32=" Header	- 11	- 11	11	11	11	9
16	11	11 30 <u>3</u> 11 11	11	11	8.5	- 11	11	10
7	11	" · 3'4 1/8" Bottom Braces	11	- 11	11	11	11	11
		Miter 8-11						
1	11	$1\frac{1}{2}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x 3 ' 2 3/8" " " "	- 11	11	6		11	12
		Miter 82 - 12						
7	11	$1\frac{1}{2}$ 'x $3\frac{1}{2}$ 'x2'10 $1/8$ " Top Brace	H H	11	5 &	6	11	13
		Miter 4 - $12\frac{1}{2}$						
1	11	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "x3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "x2' 8 5/8" Top Brace	17	11	6		- 11	14
		Mitar $4 = 11\frac{1}{4}$						

		V • • •				
M	AIN FLO	OOR SHEATHING - Fig. 7 - Sheet C	168	Pieces	<u>5</u>	
		6th Operation				
84 P 84	Pieces	l"x8' Shiplap - 34" long sheathing " $15\frac{1}{2}$ " " " "		Fig.7 P		
TO	WER JO	ISTS AND FLOOR - Fig. 8 - Sheet C	30	O Piece	<u>s</u>	
		7th Operation				
2 1	Pieces	l½"x5½"x12'0" Top Joist, Miter 10-12 " Underneath Joist Framed as per detail on Sheet C	Mark "	Fig.8 I		1
4 22	11 1t	$l\frac{1}{2}$ " $x3\frac{1}{2}$ " $x5$ '9" Floor Joists l " $x4$ " Flooring 5'5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " long	11	11 11		3 4
T	OWER F	RAME - Figs.9-10-11-12, Sheets C & D	48	B Pieces	<u>s</u>	
		8th Operation				
4	Pieces	1- 17	Mark	Fig.12	Piece	e 1.
4	11	Framed as shown detail Fig.12 31/2"x31/2"x6'0" Top Plates Framed as shown detail Fig.11	11	" 11	. "	2
8	11	land 12 x3 1 x1 9 Under bottom header	11	"9 & " 12	10"	3 _.
4	11	3½"x5½"x5'5" Bottom Header	11	" 12		5
12	11	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "x 6 '3" Over Top Header " 5'5" Top Header	11	11 11		6
4	11	$2\frac{3}{4}$ " $\times 3\frac{1}{2}$ " $\times 5$ ' 5" On Top of Bottom	11	11 11		7
'		Header (See "block under sill" Fig. 19D on Sheet E) Bevel one side 6 1/8 - 12		• " "		ľ
4	11	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "x 7 ' $1\frac{1}{4}$ " Tower Brace Miter two ends $7\frac{1}{2}$ - 12	11	" 10	,"	8
4	\$1	$1\frac{1}{2}$ 'x $3\frac{1}{2}$ 'x 6 ' $2\frac{3}{4}$ '' Tower Braces	111	. 11 6) "	9
	RO	Miter two ends $11\frac{1}{2}$ - 15 OF RAFTERS - Fig. 13 - Sheet D		45 Piec	CAS	
	T 13.0	9th Operation				
4	Piece	s l ¹ / ₂ "x3 ¹ / ₂ "x6'2" Hip Rafter See detail Fig.13 Sheet D	Mark	c Fig. 1	3 Piec	e l
16	11	" 4'11" Common Rafters See detail Fig.13 Sheet D	11	25 1	ik 11	2
8	, tt	" 2'63" Jack Rafter	11	11 1	11 11	3
4	. 11	See detail Fig.13 Sheet D 5'8" Hip Rafters See detail Fig.14 Sheet D	n.	W A	n - n	4

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4'84' Common Rafters "

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6

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See detail Fig.14 Sheet D

See detail Fig. 14 Shoot D

2'54' Jack Rafters See detail Fig.14 Sheet D

See detail Fig.14 Sheet D

 $3\frac{1}{2}$ " $x3\frac{1}{2}$ "x2' $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Roof Pole

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ROUF SHEATHING - Fig. 14 - Sheet D

288 Pieces

10th Operation

(18 pieces in	$(\frac{3}{4} \times 3\frac{1}{4} \text{ actual})$ coiling for $5 \cdot 8\frac{3}{4}$ wide at bottom $2 \cdot 0\frac{3}{4}$ " top by $4 \cdot 10\frac{1}{2}$ " high		roof Mark Fig. 14 Pieces 1 to 18
4 Sections of lx4 (18 pieces in each section)	ceiling for main roof 1'10 3/8" wide at bottom 1'10 3/8" " " top by 4'10\frac{1}{2}" high		Mark Fig. 14 Pieces 19 to 36
4 Sections of 1x4 (18 pieces in each section)	ceiling for tower roof 6'7" wide at bottom 6'3\frac{1}{2}" " " top by 4'7" high	٠	Mark Fig. 14 Pieces 37 to 54

SIDING - Figs. 15 & 16 - Sheet D

80 Pieces

11th Operation

29	Pieces	1x6 V	Rustic	6'0" Long	Mark	Figs.15	&1-16 Piece	1
32	11	11		311311 11 -	- 11	11	11 11	2
16	11	11 -	11 - 1	518돌기 기	11	-11	11	3
3	11	11	11	3'0" (extra)	11	" 16	11	4

MAIN CORNICE WINDOW TRIM & CORNICE BOARDS - Fig. 17. Sheet E

	Corn	ice 12th Operation	4	8 Pi	<u> 909</u>	<u>s</u>	
8	Pieces	3"x8"x6'l3" Frieze mitered one end cut square end to fit on job	Mark	Fig.	17	Piece	1
4	11	3"x74"x8'0" Plaucer	11	11	11,	11	2
4	11	" 610" " 11	11	11	11	11	3
8	3 11	$\frac{3}{4}$ "x1 3/8"x6'5/8" Fillet	11	11	11	11	4
8		$\frac{3}{4}$ "x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "x 6 '10" Facta mitered	11	11	11	11 '	5
		one end cut square on job					
8	3 11	½ round, 6'3" long mitered one end	11	11	tr	11	6
8	3 11	$\frac{1}{4}$ round, 6'3" long mitered one end $\frac{1}{4}$ " 6'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " cut to fit on job	tt	11	11	11	7
1	OTE: I	ie 1/4 round in bundles and put mark numb	er on	tag	tie	ed.	
		to bundle.					

TOWER CORNICE - Fig. 18 on Sheet E

20 Pieces

13th Operation

4	Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "x 6 ' $9\frac{1}{2}$ " Facia	I	ark	Fie	g.18	Piece	1
	Mitered both ends						
4	" $\frac{3}{4}$ " x $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x 6 ' $4\frac{1}{2}$ " Plaucer		11	11	11	11	2
4			11	1	11	11	3
4	" \frac{1}{4} round 6'3" long, mitered toth ends		11	1	11	11	4
4	" $\frac{1}{4}$ round 6'3" long, mitered toth ends " $\frac{1}{2}$ " cut to fit on job		11	1	11	11	5
NO	DTE : Tie $\frac{1}{4}$ round in bundles and mark numbers to bundles.		tag	s t	ied		

WINDOW SILLS - Figs. 19 & 19a - Sheet E 13 Pieces 14th Operation 4 Pieces 1 3/8"x82"x6'4 1/8" Window Sill Mark Rig. 19 Piece 1 Main floor, cut as shown Fig. 19 $1.3/6'' \times 8\frac{1}{2}'' \times 6' \cdot 4.1/6''$ Window Sill Main floor, cut as shown Fig. 19 1 3/8"x8\frac{1}{2}"x3'4\frac{1}{4}" Vindow Sill Main floor, cut as shown Fig. 19 1 3/8"x4½"xU'7¾" Extension of sill at door corner, cut as shown Fig. 19 " 19A 1 3/8"x6"x6'6" Window Sill 4 Tower, cut as shown Fig. 19A LAIN FLOOR WINDOW TRIM AND CASING . 157 Pieces Fig. 20 on Sheet F and Fig. 20A on Sheet G 15th Operation Mark Fig. 20 Piece 1 7 Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ "x1 5/8"x2'8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " outside bottom stop for corner windows Beveled 1 edge 12-4 as per detail sheet G 3"xl 5/6"x2'63" outside bottom Mark Fig. 20 stop for middle windows. beveled both edges $1\frac{1}{4} - 4$ 3 $\frac{3}{2}$ 'xl 3/6''x2' $8\frac{1}{2}$ ' outside top stop for corner windows $\frac{3}{4}$ "xl 3/8"x2' $6\frac{3}{4}$ " outside top stop 4 for middle windows $\frac{3}{2}$ "xl 3/8"x3'5 3/8" outside stop 5 30 $\frac{3}{4}$ " $\times \frac{3}{4}$ " $\times 2$ ' $8\frac{1}{2}$ " inside bottom stop 6 7 for cor.windows, beveled 1 edge $1\frac{1}{4}$ - 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ ' $\times \frac{3}{4}$ '' $\times 2$ ' $6\frac{3}{4}$ '' inside bottom stop 8 for middle windows, bev. 1 edge $1\frac{1}{4}$ - 4 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\times \frac{3}{4}$ $\times 2$ $\times 8\frac{1}{5}$ inside top stop 7 for corner windows 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $\frac{2}{4}$ " inside top stop 8 for middle windows 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $\frac{3}{4}$ " inside side stop 30 3"x4"x3'72" window casing 20 11 12 Beveled on one end $1\frac{1}{4} - 4$ 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ " $\times 3\frac{3}{4}$ " $\times 3\frac{17}{4}$ " corner window casing Beveled on one end $1\frac{1}{4} - 4$ 13 $\frac{3}{4}$ "x4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "x3\7 $\frac{1}{4}$ " corner window casing

window sill $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $5\frac{1}{4}$ "x219 $\frac{1}{2}$ " corner boards " 15 below window sill " 16 3"x6"x2'91" corner boards below window sill " 17 ½ round 6'3" long under window sill NOTE: Tie 1/4 round in bundle and mark No. on tag. -8-

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Beveled on one end $1\frac{1}{4} - 4$

 $\frac{3}{4}$ "x5 $\frac{1}{4}$ "x2'9 $\frac{1}{2}$ " Door casing below

TOWER WINDOW TRIM & CASING - Fig. 21 on Sheet F & 21A on Sheet H

T	WER WINDOW TRIM & CASING - Fig. 21 on Sheet F & 21A on Sheet H	
	16th Operation 16 Pieces	
4	Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $\frac{21}{4}$ "x5'5" bottom stop Mark Fig.21, Piece 1 Beveled both edges 6 1/8 - 12 as per detail	
4	Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ "x1 5/8"x5'5" top stop Mark Fig.21, " 2	
8	" " 3'3" side stops " " " " 3	5
	Beveled on one end 6 1/8 - 12	
	DOOR AND THRESHOLD - Fig. 22, Sheet F. 12 Pieces	
	Miscellaneous Operation	
5	Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $5\frac{1}{2}$ "x 6 ' $4\frac{1}{2}$ " (1x6) T & G Flooring Mark Fig. 22 " $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $4\frac{3}{4}$ "x 6 ' $4\frac{1}{2}$ " T & G Flooring " " " "	
1		
3	(lx6 flooring ripped to $4\frac{3}{4}$)	
2	" 1"x6"x2'8 $\frac{1}{4}$ " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	
1	" 1½"x6"x3'5½" beveled as per detail " " 22 A	
	Fig. 22A, Sheet F.	
	LOWER FLOOR SHUTTER - Fig. 32, Sheet J. 150 Pieces	
	Miscellaneous Operation	
	Shutters for 7 corner windows	
49	Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $5\frac{1}{2}$ "x2' $8\frac{1}{4}$ " (1"x6") T & G Flooring Wark Fig. 32	
7	Pieces 3/4 x 5 1/2 x 2 1 8 1/2 (1"x 6") T & G Flooring Mark Fig. 32 " 3/4 x 4 3/4 x 2 1 8 1/2	
14	" \$\frac{2}{4}"x5\frac{2}{5}"x3\frac{5}{2}" \$4\$	
	Shutters for 8 center windows	
56	" 3"x51 "x2161" (1"x6") T & G Flooring " " "	
8	" $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $5\frac{1}{2}$ "x 2 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ " (1"x6") T & G Flooring " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	
16	" $\frac{3}{4}$ "x $5\frac{1}{2}$ "x 3 ' $5\frac{1}{2}$ " S4S " " " " "	
	TOWER SHUTTERS - Fig. 23, Sheet F. 44 Pieces	
	Miscellaneous Operation	
	•	

28 Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ "x7"x5"4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " Shiplap Mark Fig. 23 4 " $\frac{3}{4}$ "x5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "x5'4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " " " " 12 " $\frac{3}{4}$ "x5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "x3'1" S4S Bevel 1 end 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ - 12 " " "

BLOCKS UNDER MAIN FLOOR WINDOW SILLS - Sheet K.

35 Blocks $1\frac{1}{4}$ x $3\frac{1}{2}$ made as shown in Fig. 33, Sheet K. Mark Fig. 33.

SHUTTER BUTTONS - Fig. 31, Sheet K.

90 Pieces

Miscellaneous Operation

90 Hardwood buttons made as per detail Fig. 31, Mark Fig. 31 Sheet K.

CLEATS FOR LIGHTNING CONDUCTORS, Fig. 30A, Sheet J.

Miscellaneous Operation

100 Pieces

100 Hardwood cleats made as per detail Fig. 30A, Mark Fig. 30A Sheet J.

FIRE FINDERS - Fig. 26. Sheet I.

13 Pieces

Miscellaneous Operation

2	Pieces	1"x11"x2'11"	Mark	Fig.	26	
1	2.6	1"x13"x1'10"	11	-11	11	
2	11	3"x32"x1'92"	11	11	11	
2	11	" " 0,11"	11	18	11	
4	11	$\frac{3}{4}$ "x2"x3' $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Gut both ends 8 - 12 Halved	11	11	11	
		together at center				
2	11	$1\frac{1}{2}$ 'x $3\frac{1}{2}$ 'x 0 '11''	11	11	27	

SHELVING - Fig. 25. Sheet I.

21 Pieces

Miscellaneous Operation

6	Pieces	글"x11½"x5" 7골"	Mitered	one	end 12 - 12	Mark	Fig.	25
3	11	3 "x10"x3" ("	11		ends 12 - 12		. 11	
12	11	$\frac{3}{4}$ "x5 $\frac{1}{2}$ "x1'3"				11	11	11

EXTRA PIECES

12 Pieces

Miscellaneous Operation

6	Pieces	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "x $3\frac{1}{2}$ "x7"	long	· ·	Mark "	Extra"
1	11	3"x11"x7"	11		1.9	11
2	11	3"x34"x7"	" (Ceiling)	• •	11	11
1	11	5/8"x5"x7"	" (Rustic)		11	11
2	11	3"x4"x7"	nt		11	11

LAIDER - Sheet F.

8 Pieces

2 Pieces $1\frac{1}{2}$ "x3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "x8' $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", Mitered both ends $4\frac{1}{2}$ - 12 Mark Fig. 24 6 " $\frac{3}{4}$ "x2 $\frac{1}{2}$ "x1'6" steps " " "

OTHER MATERIAL FOR HOUSE

- (not including material for bed and table, wire for lightning conductors or anchor bolts)
- 7 Windows 321 x421 corner windows main floor, Sheets F & G
- 8 *" $30\frac{3}{4}$ " x42 $\frac{1}{2}$ " center " " " F & G
- 8 One light sash 322"x37 1/8" Tower windows "F & H
- 500 Sq. ft. 1 ply roofing paper "Higrade" or better
- 2500 *A* Kiln dried red cedar shingles
 - 120 Galvanized iron hip shingles (60 to leave tie wire for lightning conductor attached) See Fig. 30B, Sheet J.
- 4 Pieces #28 gauge galvanized iron flashing lu2"x5'4" bent as shown in Fig. 12B, Sheet D.
 - 8 Pieces corner flashing for tower corner posts made of 28 gauge galvanized iron as shown in Fig. 12A, Sheet D.
 - 4 4" T Hinges for ladder and trap door in tower floor
 - 12 8" T " galvanized for tower shutters
 - 3 8" T " " door
 - 8 $\#804\frac{1}{2}$ $3\frac{1}{2}$ x $3\frac{1}{2}$ Butts (hinges)
 - 1 8" hinge hasp for door
 - 1 #3 Thumb latch for door
 - 2 #365 Barrel bolts for top and bottom of door
 - 16 #02161 Brass casement fastener (any finish) for tower windows (two for each)
 - 4 Jorner angle irons (See Fig. 34, Sheet K)
 - 8 $6\frac{1}{2}$ ' $x\frac{1}{2}$ " machine bolts with one cut washer each
 - 200 ft. 3/8" galvanized seven strand guy cable
 - 20 3/8" galvanized Crosby clips

- 4 3/4" galvanized turnbuckles; shackle to eye
- 8 $4\frac{1}{2}$ " $x\frac{1}{2}$ " lag screws, screw eyes with $\frac{3}{4}$ " eye, See Fig.23A, Sheet F.
- 8 5"x=" eye bolts with washers, See Fig. 23A, Sheet F.
- 8 Pieces 21 round iron bent and bored as shown in Fig. 23A, Sheet F.
- l gross 2"x2" stove bolts
- l " 1 cut washers
- 2 doz. 1"x#9 F. H. screws for ladder and trap door hinges
- 11 " 12"x#11 F. H. screws for 8" T hinges
 - 4 " 1"x#9 F. H. screws for $3\frac{1}{2}x3\frac{1}{2}$ butts
- 8 " 1½"x#11 R. H. blued screws for shutter buttons
- 10 lbs. 20d common nails
- 20 " 16d " "
 - 5 " 8d " "
- 45 " 6d barb box "
 - 7 "8d finish nails
 - 2 " 4d " "
- 12 " 3d blued shingle nails
- 3 gals. outside white paint
- 2 " green shingle stain
- 1 " tobacco brown inside stain
- 1 " Creosote (for sills)
- ½ pint can aluminum paint

ERECTION INSTRUCTIONS

Tools

List of tools that will be needed:

1 pr. 8" pliers	1 cross cut saw	l large square
l jack plane	1 rip saw	1 small "
l hand ax	1 small monkey wrench	1 screw driver
l level	1 pr. tin snips	1 5/8" auger bit
1 brace	2 1/8" drill bits	1 3½" paint brush
l long 1 ship auger bit	1 41 11	1 2" " "
1 pr. connectors	2 hammers	$1\frac{1}{2}$ 1 11; 11

Necessary tools for rock work, leveling ground for house, setting building anchors, etc.

Packing

Pack material to the house location in following order:

Boxes of material (all small pieces of lumber (liable to be lost if bundled), hardware, paint, etc., are boxed.)
Lumber bundles (starting with bundle #1)
Windows
Furniture, etc.
Plan details of house with explanatory notes are shown on blueprint sheets A to L inclusive.

Operation 1 - Sheet B

Give sills and sill blocks two coats of creosote before they are put in place.

Framing Operations

Particularly Figs. 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12 and 13. Sheets C & D. All timbers, braces, roof rafters, etc., must be thoroughly nailed at all places. Spike holes in ends of braces, rafters, joists, studding, etc., wherever necessary to prevent timber splitting.

Flashing

See Figs. 13A and 12B, Sheet D. Strip between tower joists (12B, Sheet D) should be nailed in place on top of block under tower sill (see Fig.19D. Sheet E).

Flashing for the corner joists come made up in pairs to fit around posts. These should be thoroughly nailed and painted carefully at edges.

Door

Fig. 22, Sheet F. Paint tongue and groove of each board as door is put together, and paint entire door as soon as possible after it is finished. Bolts are furnished for top and bottom of door (outside) with hole for bolt in door stop. These are intended to be put on and used to prevent door warping. Keep it shut tight while building is not occupied.

The bolts are to put on outside of door as shown in Sheet A. Used when house is closed for the winter to prevent door from warping.

Painting

Roof, green shingle stain; body outside two coats white; inside one coat brown stain.

Guying

Note: If eye bolts are used the material is to be secured locally.

The sides of the building may be exposed to a 7,000 lb. wind strain. Therefore, it is important that the building be thoroughly guyed.

Anchor

Eye bolts should be 1" iron; preferably in solid rock. See Fig. 29, Sheet I. If a "dead man" or large rock is used for anchor, be sure that it will stand an eight or ten thousand pound pull. It is very important that the guys are kept tight. Turnbuckle threads should be oiled to facilitate turning. The angle irons (see Fig. 34, Sheet K) are used on the corners of the building to prevent guy cable cutting into wood.

If the building will be exposed to windstorms of unusual severity, put in anchor bolts around the frame (see Fig.27, Sheet I). The method of attaching guy to building at tower post is shown in Fig. 28. Sheet I.

Shutters

Main floor shutters should be piled and wired together to prevent blowing away during summer, and the tower shutter rod fasteners put in place to hold shutters down on roof. When the tower shutters are closed at end of season, put the rods inside of tower. If left banging outside, wind may cause them to injure roof or window casing. All shutters should fit in tight. If necessary, put wedge under buttons.

NOTE: The windows should be examined as soon as they are packed up to the house so that if there are any broken panes there will be time to get new glass on the job before it is finished.

FURNITURE

Bed

Details of bedstead are shown on Sheet K.

A good three-quarter mattress should be provided, or, on account of lightning hazard, rope is used as shown instead of metal springs.

Table

Details of table shown on Sheet K.

It is planned that one table as shown on Sheet K is sufficient. If work shelf for preparing meals, etc., is desired, it should be attached below level of window sill to the studding.

Stove

A wood stove has its dangers if there is any lightning hazard. The 3-burner "Perfection" coal-oil stove may be safer. The size is 17"x34"x36" high, with the standard legs furnished. These are 12" long and should be either cut to 6" or removed altogether so that the top of the stove will not be above the window level. This size stove weighs 51 lbs. crated. A 2-burner "Perfection" oven is recommended; with the door open it will serve as a very good heater. It is 14"x21"x18", and weighs 27 lbs. crated.

Chairs

One straight and one easy chair suggested. They should have.. a seat 18" from the floor, as the windows on the lower floor are planned to give the proper angle of deflection for line of vision when a chair of this height is used.

MATERIAL FOR TABLE AND BEDSTEAD

11 Pieces

Lumber for Table - See Sheet L

			Miscellaneous Operation			
4 2	Pieces	2 <u>3</u> "x2 <u>3</u> " 1"x4 <u>1</u> "	2'2" table leg cut tapering 4' table sides cut as shown	Mark "	•	36
		1"x4==""	2'8" table sides	11	11	tt
3	tt	l"xll"	4' table top	11	tt	11

Miscellaneous Operation

2	Pieces	$1\frac{1}{2}$ "x $5\frac{1}{2}$ "x6'6"	Sides of bed bored	as	shown	Mark	Fig. 35
2	ft	1\frac{1}{2}"x5\frac{1}{2}"x3'4"	Ends of bed bored	11	11	17	11 11
4	11	1"x5\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	Legs of bed cut	11	- 11	11	£1 11
4	11 .	1"x5='x20"	As shown			tf	11 11
4	11	l"x52"x1'8"	Braces cut miter	11	11	tt	11 11

Other Material

140 ft. of 14 manila rope for bedstead	Tag	"For	Bed"
$8.3/8" \times 4\frac{1}{4}"$ machine bolts for table	11	£ \$	Table
8 3/8"x3" " " bedstead	29	11	В́е d
8 3/8"x8" log screws for bedstead	11	11	#1
48 3/8" cut washers	11	11	11
1 lb. 10d finish nails			

LIGHTNING PROTECTION

The most efficient type of lightning arrester is known as the "Bird Cage" lightning arrester. The conductors are insulated or separated from the building by from 10 to 15 feet of air space. This method should be used at all points where the lightning is unusually severe. Unfortunately, in a majority of cases, it is not practical or possible to erect this type of arrester, and as very nearly as good protection is afforded with the conductors arranged as shown in Fig. 30, Sheet J, and on Sheet A, this method may be followed unless the lightning hazard is unusually great.

General Instructions

In general there should be a maximum amount of metal, properly connected together in the network of lightning conductors, and a minimum amount of metal inside of the lookout house.

The furniture and other objects in the house should, as far as possible, be composed of wood or other nonmetallic substance.

A coal-oil stove should be used, as if wood stove is used the lightning hazard is greatly increased on account of the smoke and hot air from the chimney.

The telephone instruments should be located as far away as possible from a lightning conductor.

During an electrical storm the telephone line wire should be disconnected from the outside of the building and removed to a distance of 15 or 20 feet.

Occupants of a lookout house should, as far as is possible, keep in the center of the main floor of the house during an electrical storm.

All connections in the lightning conductors must be carefully made and should be gone over carefully at the beginning of the season - connections should be inspected and repainted with aluminum paint to prevent rust.

Ground

The best ground connection is made in moist soil. A copper plate about 3 feet square of 1/16" copper connected to the ground conductor and buried in permanently moist soil is the most reliable to use; but on account of the expense, etc., is not often practical. Thirty or forty feet of the end of a conductor cable coiled in a small bundle makes a very good substitute for the copper plate. Cover the cable or copper plate with a bushel or two of fine charcoal or coke. If there is moist soil within about 500 feet of the house.

extend each down conductor cable to it and make a ground as above described. If there is no soil within this distance carry each conductor cable one or two hundred feet over rocks away from the building, do up end in a coil and cover with chargoal or coke as before mentioned. A ground made this way should be composed of as much metal as is practical.

LUIBER LIST FOR LOOTOUT HOUSE

Lumber required in the different operations as shown in Figures 1, 2, 3, etc., pages 19 to 24.

			Fig. No.1. Sills	
1 2 1	Piece 3	$3\frac{1}{2}$ " 14 " 14 " 2 " 2 " $1\frac{3}{4}$ " $x6$ " $x10$ "	Douglas Fir #2 clr. & Bttr. S4S	
			Fig. No.2 Joists	
7 36	Pieces Lin.ft.	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Douglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. S4S	
			Fig. No.3 Sub-floor	
11 15	Pieces	l"x8"x12* l"x8"x8*	Douglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. Shiplap	
			Fig. No.4 Finished Floor	
44	Pieces	1"x4"x12"	Couglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. V. G. Flooring	
		.0.11	Figs. No.5 & 6 Main Floor Frame	
12 8 3 6 2 2	Pieces "" "" "" "" ""	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	Douglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. S4S	
			Fig. No. 7 Main Floor Sheathing	
		l"x8"x12' l"x8"x8'	Douglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. Shiplap	
			Fig. No. 8 Tower Joists and Floor	
2	11	$\begin{array}{c} 1\frac{1}{2} "^{n}_{X} 5\frac{1}{2} "^{n}_{X} 12" \\ 1\frac{1}{2} "^{n}_{X} 3\frac{1}{2} "^{n}_{1} 2" \\ 1"x4"x12" \end{array}$	Douglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. S4S) " " " " " " ") Joists " " " " V.G. Flooring	
		Figs.No.9.	10.11,12 Tower Frame	
4 2 2 2 1	11 11 11	$\begin{array}{c} 3\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x} 3\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x6} \text{i}_{6} \\ 3\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x} 3\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x12} \text{i}_{1} \\ 1\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x} 3\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{8} \text{i}_{2} \\ 3\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x} 3\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x12} \text{i}_{1} \\ 1\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x} 3\frac{1}{2} \text{in}_{x12} \text{i}_{1} \end{array}$	Douglas Fir #2 Clr.& Bttr.S4S) " " " " " " ") Fosts " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	

Figs. No. 9, 10, 11, 12 (Cont.)

1	Piece	$1\frac{1}{2}^{11}n_{x3\frac{1}{2}}n_{x14}$	Douglas	Fir	#2	Clr.	& Bttr.	S4S
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2	11	$1\frac{1}{2}$ " $n_{x}3\frac{1}{2}$ " $n_{x}14$ "	- 11	11	f 7	11	19	- 11

Fig. No. 13 Roof Rafters

Fig. No. 14 Roof Sheathing

1400 ft. (B.M.) 1"x4" 12' and 14' lengths
Douglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. V. Ceiling

Figs. No. 15 & 16 Siding

11 Pieces 1"x6"x10' Fir Rustic "V" 23 " " 12' " " "

Fig. No. 17 Main Jornice - Window Trim

4 Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ nnx8nnx14' Douglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. S4S 4 " $\frac{3}{4}$ nnx7 $\frac{1}{4}$ nnx8' " " " " " " " " " 1 4 " $\frac{3}{4}$ nnx3/8"nx12' " " " " " " " " " 1 4 " $\frac{3}{4}$ nnx3/8"nx12' " " " " " " " " " " 1 6 " 1" - 14' " " 1/4 Round

Fig. No.18 Tower Cornice

6 Pieces 3"nx3""nx14" Douglas Fir #2 Jlr. & Bttr. S4S
4 " l" - 14" " 1/4 Round

Figs. No.19 & 19A Window Sills

Figs. No. 20 & 20A Main Floor Vindow Trim & Jasing

1	Piece	$\frac{3}{4}$ nxl	5/8"1	ax6°	Do	uglas	Fir	#2	Clr.	&	Bttr.	S4S
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4	11	1/4 r	ound	14:		11	11	11	tf		11	11

Figs. No. 21 & 21A Tower Window Trim & Casing

2 Pieces 3 n n x 2 n n x 12 Douglas Fir #2 Clr. & Bttr. S4S 4 " 3 n n x 1 5 /8 n n x 12 " " " " " " "

Fig. No.22 Door and Threshold

3 Pieces 1"x6"x14' Douglas Fir T&G #2 Clr. & Bttr. "VG" Flooring
1 " 1" x6" x14' " " #2 Clr. & Bttr. S4S
1 " 1½" x6" x3'6" " " " " " " " " "

Fig. No. 23 Tower Shutters

14 Pieces $\frac{3}{4}$ "x7" x12' Douglas Fir Shiplap 2 " $\frac{3}{4}$ "nx3 $\frac{1}{2}$ "nx12' " " " " " 3 " #2 Clr. & Bttr. S4S

Alternate for Ceiling

52 Pieces 1"x4"x12' #2 Clr. & Bttr. "V & CV" Jeiling

Fig. No.24 Ladder

l Piece $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x3 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x18' Douglas Fir #2 Olr. & Bttr. S4S l " $\frac{3}{4}$ " x10' " " " " " " "

Fig. No.25 Shelving

Fig. No. 26 Stand for Fire Finder

Fig. No. 32 Lower Floor Shutters

Shutters for 7 corner windows

10 Pieces l"x6"x16' Douglas Fir #2 Clr.& Bttr. T&G VG Flooring 4 " 3""x5\frac{1}{2}""x14' " " " " S4S

Shutters for 8 center windows

Fig. No.31 Shutter Buttons

90 3" x3" Hardwood buttons (per detail)

Fig. No.30A Cleats for Lightning Conductors

100 3" x3" Hardwood cleats (per detail)

Fig. No.33 Blocks under Main Floor Window Sill

35 lan x3an Hardwood Blocks (per detail)

Extras - Miscellaneous Operation

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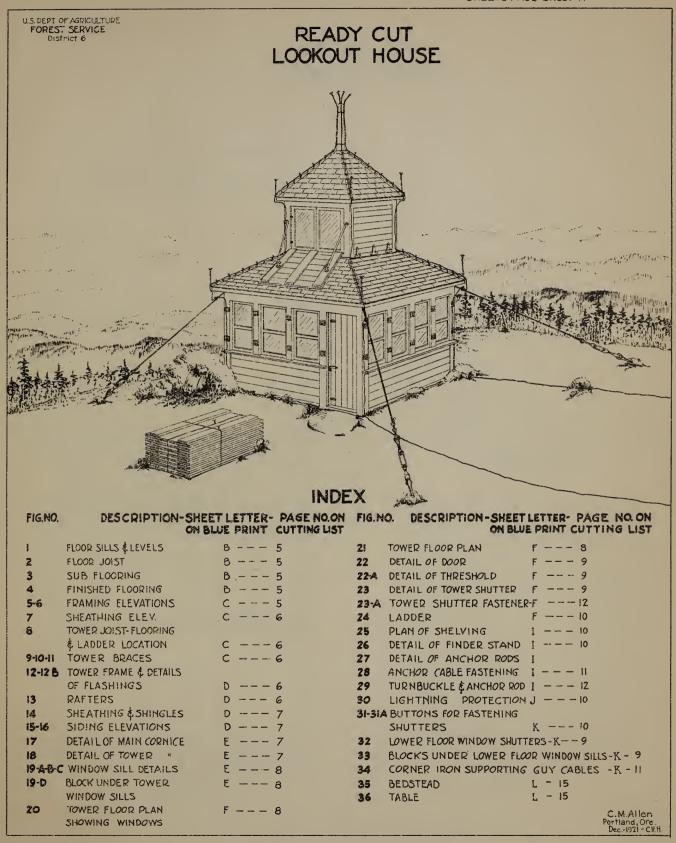
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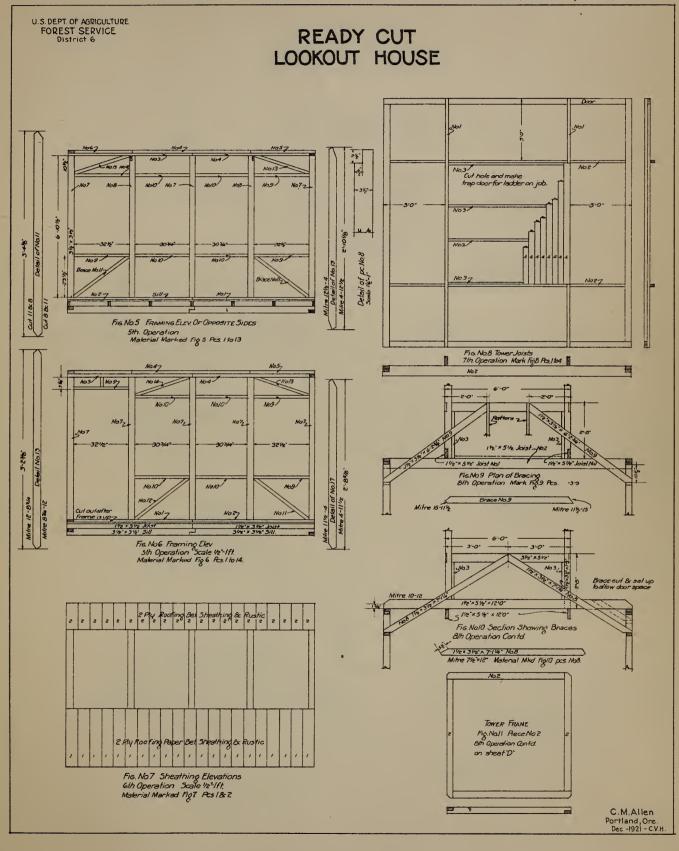
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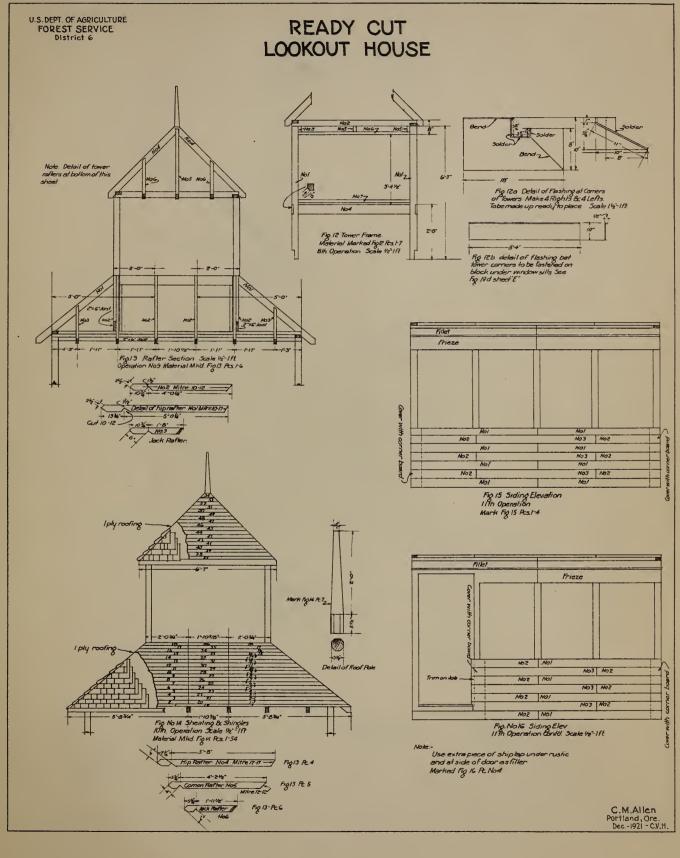
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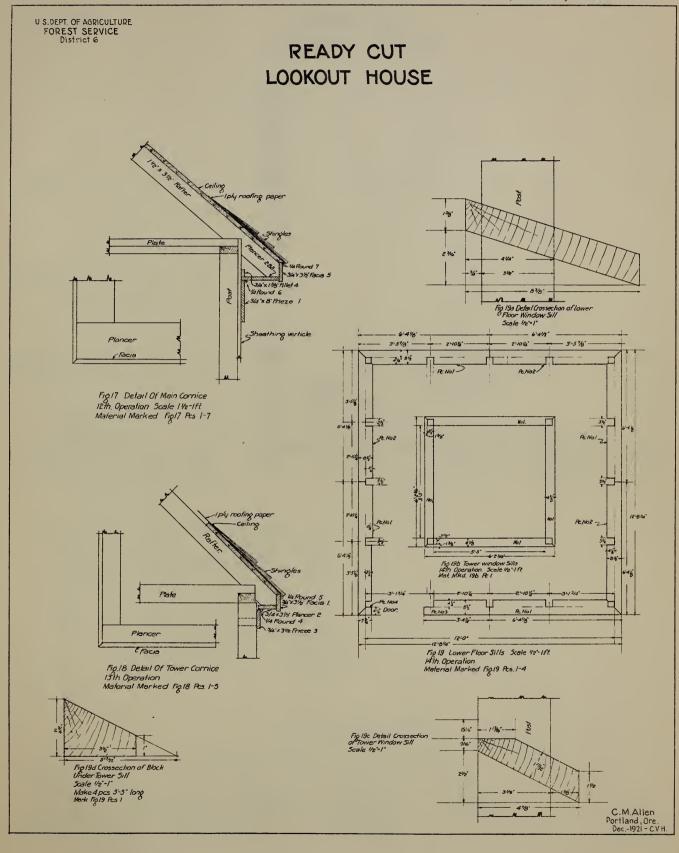




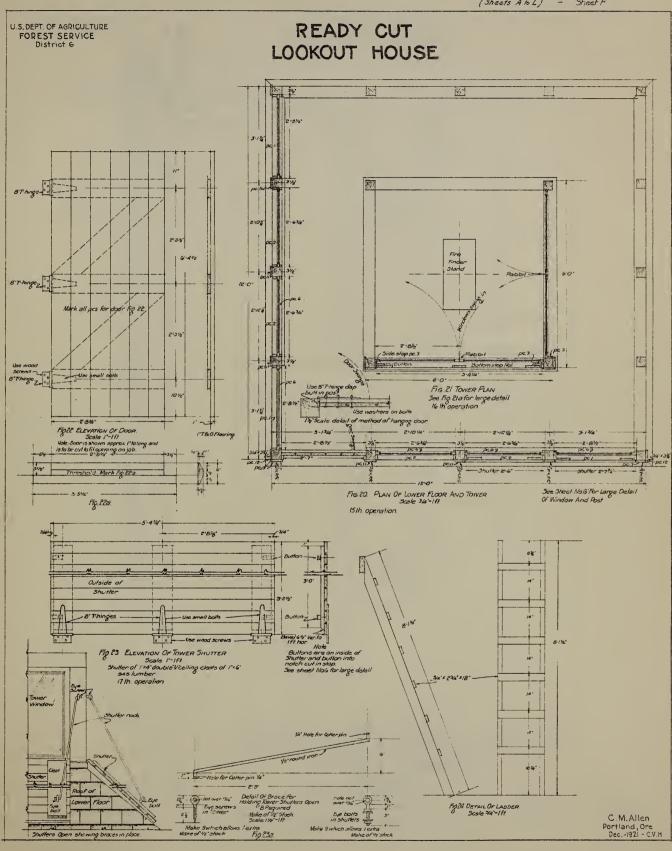










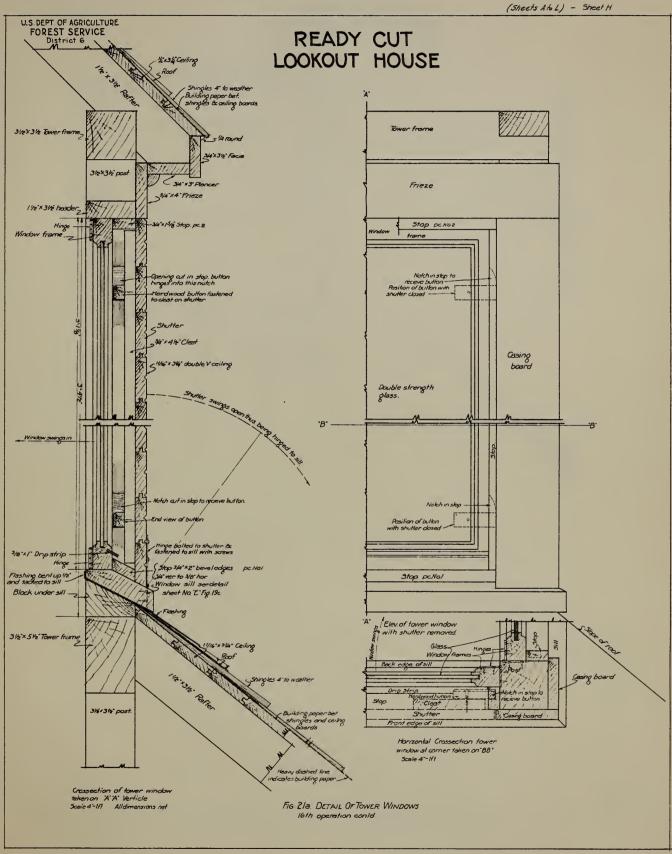




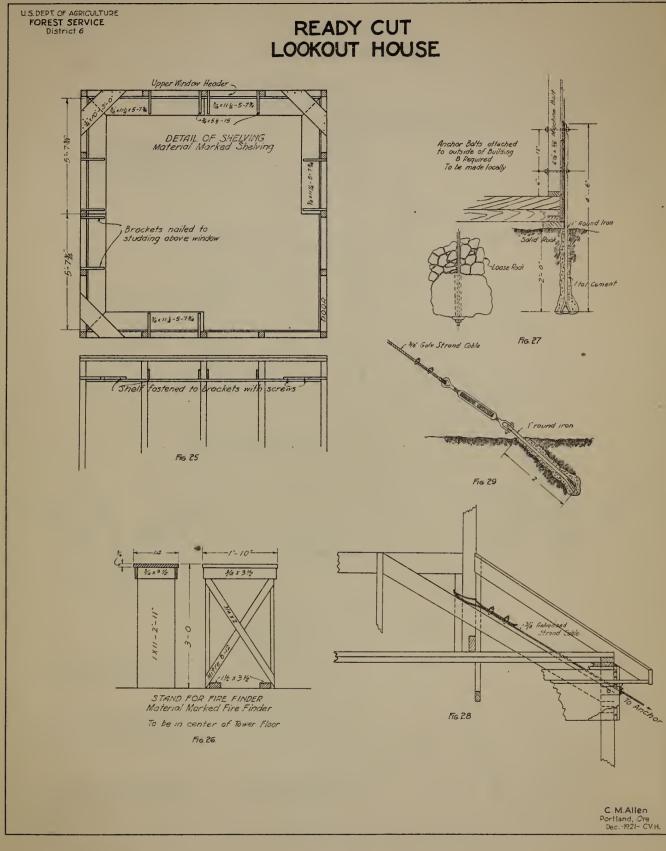
DETAIL OF FRAMING WINDOWS ON LOWER FLOOR FIG. 20a

Vertical Sec. of Window & Shutter taken on line A. A.

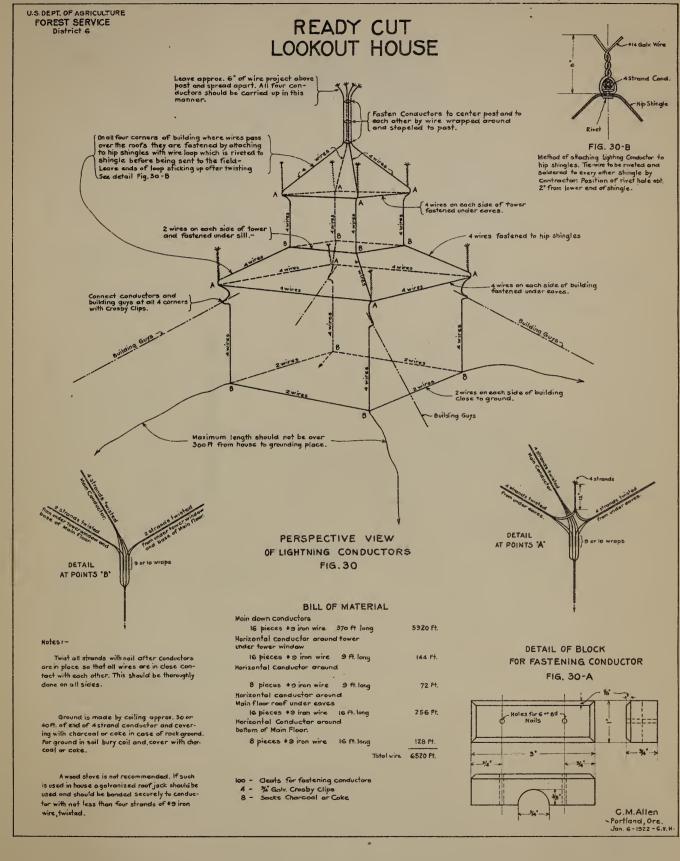


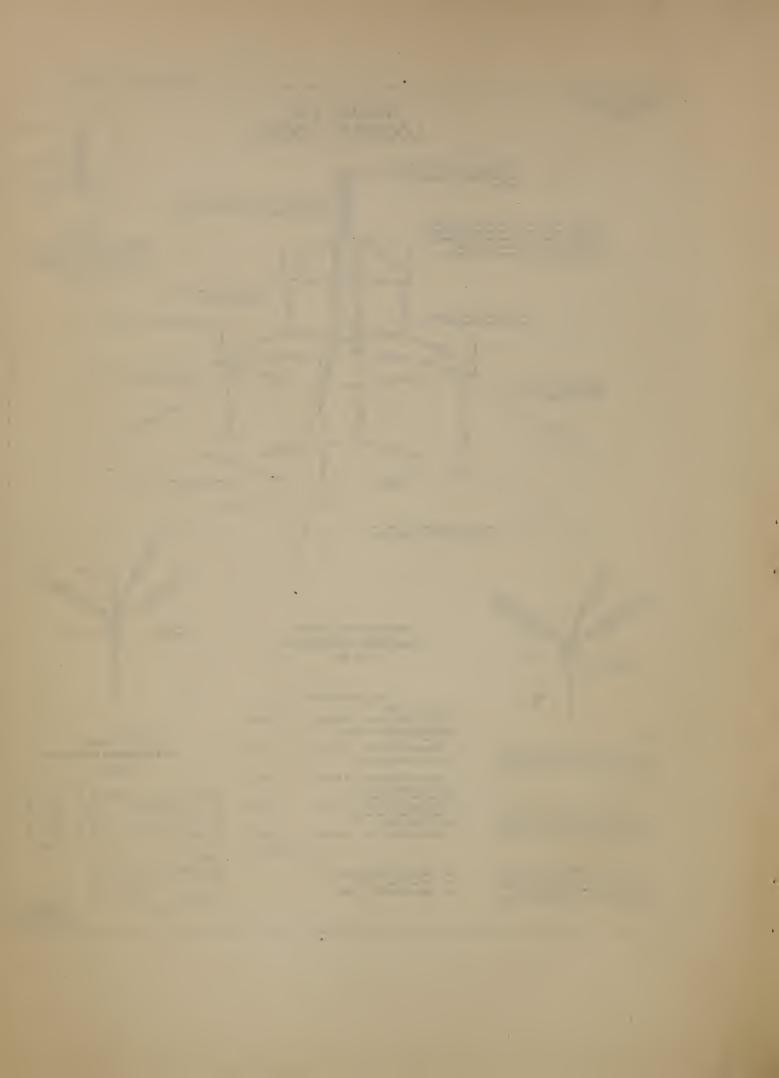


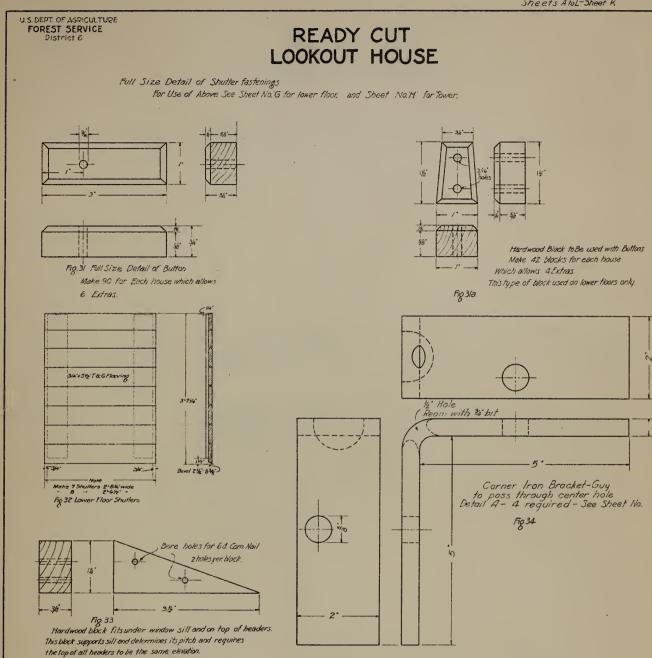












Nail block on each side of posts except at doorway. Make 35 blocks which allows 5 Extras.

for position of this block See Sheet No. block under sill, lower floor.



